

<b>Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary</b>	<b>Application No.</b>	<b>Applicant(s)</b>
	09/658,078	BATES ET AL.
	<b>Examiner</b>	<b>Art Unit</b>
	Nathan Hillery	2176

**All Participants:**

**Status of Application:** 80

(1) Nathan Hillery.

(3) \_\_\_\_.

(2) Bill Conrad.

(4) \_\_\_\_.

**Date of Interview:** 14 December 2005

**Time:** 2:00 pm

**Type of Interview:**

- Telephonic  
 Video Conference  
 Personal (Copy given to:  Applicant     Applicant's representative)

**Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated:**  Yes     No

If Yes, provide a brief description: .

**Part I.**

Rejection(s) discussed:

101

Claims discussed:

12-14, 26-28, 40-42, 29

Prior art documents discussed:

n/a

**Part II.**

**SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:**

*discussed how the remaining withdrawn claims due to an election must be cancelled before allowance can be issued. Also, discussed changing the language of claim 29 for clarity and to avoid 101 issues*

**Part III.**

- It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.  
 It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.



(Examiner/SPE Signature)

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)